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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of:

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For: CONTAMINANT-TOLERANT FOAMING ADDITIVE

Enclosed are:

[X] 1 title page.  
[X] 24 sheets of disclosure.  
[X] 16 sheet(s) of claims.  
[X] 1 abstract sheet.  
[X] 0 sheet(s) of drawings.  
[X] An Assignment of the invention to Benchmark Research & Technology, Inc.  
[X] Cover Sheet for Assignment.  
[X] Declaration and Power of Attorney for Inventor(s).  
[ ] Information Disclosure Statement.

CLAIMS AS FILED

<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>
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Total Claims 97 - 20 = 77 x (\$9) = \$ 693.00 or x (\$18) = \$ N/A  
extra

Independent 6 - 3 = 3 x (\$42) = \$ 126.00 or x (\$84) = \$ N/A  
Claims extra

Multiple dependent  
Claims Presented 13 x (\$140) = \$ 140.00 or x (\$280) = \$ N/A

Basic Fee \$ 370.00 or \$ 740.00

Assignment (\$ 40.00 ) \$ 40.00 or \$ 40.00

TOTAL FILING FEE: \$ 1369.00 or \$ 780.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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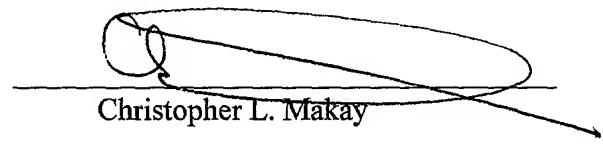
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